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Dear Sir or Madam:

The International Isocyanate Institute (III) on behalf of its members (BASF Corp.; Bayer Corp.; The Dow Chemical Company; ICI Americas, Inc.; and ARCO Chemical) hereby notifies the EPA of the following study which was contracted on December 27, 1996.

"Dermal toxicokinetics of 4,4'-MDI in guinea pigs"

Name of chemical substance	Isocyanic acid, polymethylene-polyphenylene ester
Chemical Abstracts Service Number	101-68-8
abbreviation	MDI or 4,4'-MDI
Name and address of testing organization	Dr. H.D. Hoffmann BASF AG Abteilung Toxicologie Z470 D-67056 Ludwigshafen Germany

Yours truly,

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